

Subject: Weekly Brief, Wednesday, November 30, 2016: Take A Peek
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WEEKLY BRIEF

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▲ Los Angeles St., photo by Medgar Parrish

Guest Video: LA Cityview 35 Showcases Cityride Services

[Check out this short segment](#) on LADOT's Cityride program. A transportation service for qualified seniors and individuals with disabilities living within the City of Los Angeles. LADOT strives to deliver excellent customer service to the people we serve: you.



▲ LADOT continues to deliver excellent customer service through Cityride Services.

Who We Are: A Tale of Two Brians



▲ Brian Oh (left) and Brian Lee (right)

Brian Oh holds the position of Transportation Planning Associate II in LADOT's Active Transportation Division. His main work responsibilities include [Vision Zero](#) planning, as well as other division efforts such as Open Streets and [People St.](#) Brian's team works under the Project Delivery section, and he collaborates mainly with the Design and the Complete Streets Implementation Divisions. Like our entire LADOT staff, his team are in a position to help our communities move safely through our city. Accountability is one of the LADOT Core Values that he exemplifies the most. Whether it is working with other city staff or responding to a community member, his ability to communicate and respond efficiently and in a timely manner is key to his success. Keep up the great work, Brian!



Brian Lee is a Supervising Transportation Planner II in Transit Operations. He oversees the bus operations of DASH and Commuter Express. He also leads bus procurement, bus operations RFPs, and bus technology (i.e. bus WiFi, GPS tracking, Solar Transit signs, etc.) Although most Transit Services are provided by outside contractors, including building the buses, installation of bus stop signs, etc., he collaborates with other LADOT groups, such as District Offices to paint curbs, or move bus stops, etc, as well as Metro.

Furthermore, Brian's team coordinates and reroutes LADOT buses whenever they receive Traffic Management Plans, closures and detours. Brian exemplifies LADOT's Internal and External Core Values; however, he excels the most in Professional Development and Delivery. For example, Brian attends conferences and seminars to learn what other transit agencies are doing nationwide, to include best practices and state of the art technology. He strives to produce safe, fast, reliable, comfortable, and on-time bus services to all of our passengers. Stellar work, Brian!

Thank you to both Brians for their hard work, perseverance and passion for what they do at LADOT. We are very much inspired by your efforts!

You're Invited: Lankershim Boulevard Corridor Community Event

As part of the Mayor's Great Streets Initiative, a community pop-up event is slated for this Saturday, December 3, from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. The fun-filled event will provide a hands-on experience of what could come to Lankershim Blvd. as part of the Great Streets Initiative. Art, music, food, family-friendly activities, free raffle prizes and giving attendees a chance to try out new ways of using the street are just part of the experience. For more information, [please click here.](#)

CITY OF LOS ANGELES: GREAT STREETS INITIATIVE

LINKERSHIM BOULEVARD

COME JOIN US FOR FOOD, MUSIC, AND FAMILY-FRIENDLY FUN!

COMMUNITY POP UP



Free raffle!

Prizes Include:

- Amazon Echo Dot
- 11" Lenovo Laptop
- Gift Cards
- and many more!

In 2013, Mayor Eric Garcetti and Councilmember Paul Krekorian designated Linkershim Boulevard in North Hollywood as one of L.A.'s first 15 Great Streets. The City of Los Angeles will be investing in improvements along the corridor to enhance economic vitality, safety and quality of life for residents, business owners and visitors. This project is all about making Linkershim Boulevard better and safer for the community, so come and give us YOUR INPUT!



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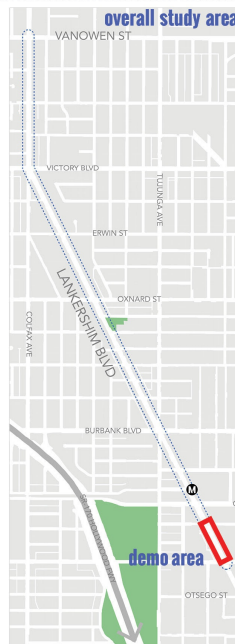
music



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activities



TAKE PART IN PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE OF THE LINKERSHIM BOULEVARD CORRIDOR!

WHO: YOU! Especially if you live, work, or play along Linkershim Boulevard

WHAT: Community Pop Up Demo Lab Prizes, raffle, music, & more!

WHEN: Saturday, December 3
10:00 am - 2:00 pm

WHERE: Between Weddington and Magnolia

QUESTIONS ??

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